

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, between lines 1 and 3, insert:

B2 --BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--.

Page 7, between lines 17 and 19, insert:

B3 --SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--.

Page 8, between lines 20 and 22, insert:

B4 --DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Page 19, line 1, change "CLAIMS" to

--WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:--.

Claim 3, line 1, delete "for upgrading a titaniferous mineral";

line 2, change "2" to --18--; change "compound of sodium is" to --additive comprises--.

Claim 4, line 1, delete "for upgrading a titaniferous mineral";

line 2, change "2" to --18--; change "compound of sodium is" to --additive comprises--.

Claim 5, line 1, delete "for upgrading a titaniferous mineral";

line 2, change "2" to --18--; change "compounds include" to --additive comprises--.